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Mr. Howland Woods, Curator
Numismatic Society of America,
Broadway & 156th St.,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Woods:-

We are very grateful to you for the time which you and Mr. Clark gave Miss Hemler Saturday going over the proposed requirements for a Coin Collecting Merit Badge. I enclose a set of tentative requirements prepared as result of your conference. I believe you wanted to go over these again after they had been put into some sort of shape.

I think it may help you if I also enclose the work sheets which you went over on Saturday morning, together with copies of the requirements for Stamp Collecting and Rocks and Minerals which are perhaps comparable to Coins from the standpoint of the collection angle.

I enclose a stamped addressed envelope for convenience in returning the material to us. If you have a chance to go over it within the next day or two this will be very greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,
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April 6, 1937

Mr. E. S. Martin,
National Director of Publications,
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2 Park Ave.,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Martin:

Mr. Clark and I have carefully studied not only the requirements for coin collectors but to get a suitable background, have read over all of the other information that you have sent. We think your layout is excellent and to the point. We have, as you will note, made one or two corrections and one or two suggestions. We are very glad that we have been of some help to you in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Curator

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